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To: Glyphosate Registration Review Docket
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Subject: Summary of June 4, 2015 Meeting Between EPA and Monsanto Company

On June 4, 2015, EPA's glyphosate team met with Monsanto Company, a technical registrant of glyphosate, to discuss the registration review of glyphosate. Topics discussed include the timing of registration review deliverables, weed resistance management, methods for detecting glyphosate in urine and breast milk, and measures for protecting pollinators. Glyphosate is a non-selective herbicide widely used to control weeds in agricultural crops and in non-agricultural areas. Agricultural crops include a variety of fruits, vegetables, and field crops. Non-agricultural use sites include forests, greenhouses, non-crop areas, and residential areas. Glyphosate is also registered for use on glyphosate-resistant crop varieties such as canola, corn, cotton, soybeans, sugar beets, and wheat. The registration review docket for glyphosate opened in 2009 and the Agency intends to issue preliminary human health and ecological risk assessments in fall 2015.